Peconic River Remedial Alternatives Workshop

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- BACKGROUND
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BACKGROUND

- Proposed Remedial Action Plan (March, 2000)
 - Community Concerns
- **DOE Commitment (June, 2000)**
 - Additional Community Involvement
 - Further Evaluate Remedial Alternatives
 - Further Delineation of Areas Proposed for Remediation
 - Present a revised PRAP

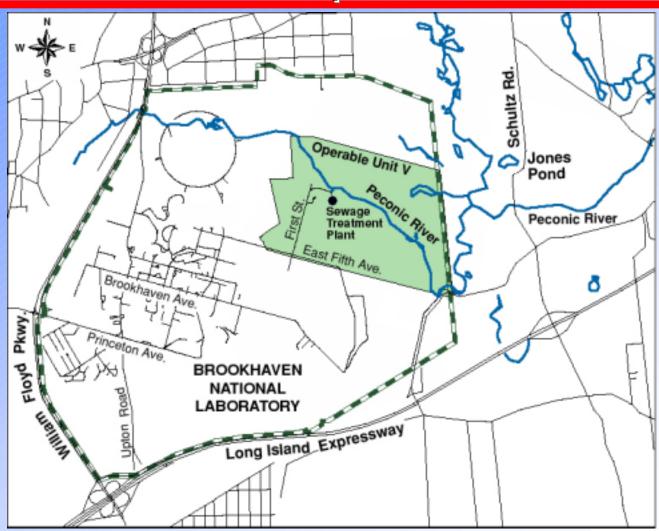


OVERVIEW OF PROJECT

- Peconic River Areas of Concern
 - Contaminants of Concern
- Remedial Action Objectives
- **Evaluation Criteria**

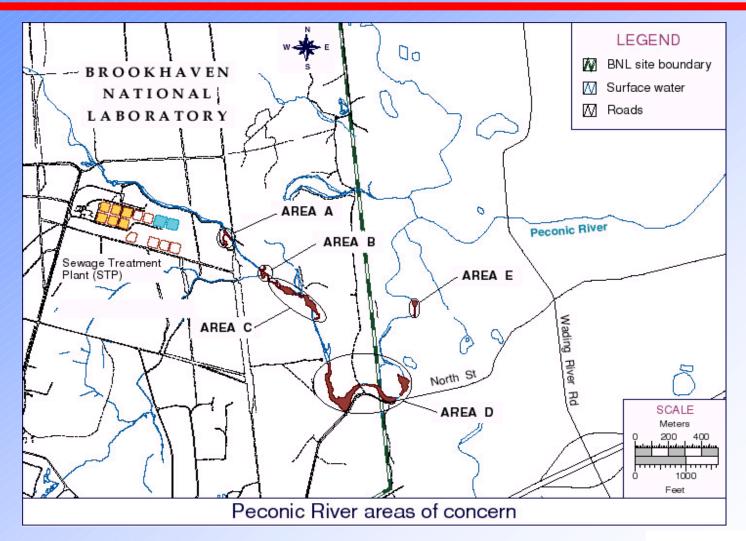


Location of Operable Unit V





Peconic River Areas of Concern





Area A, looking upstream



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Area A, looking downstream





Area B, looking upstream



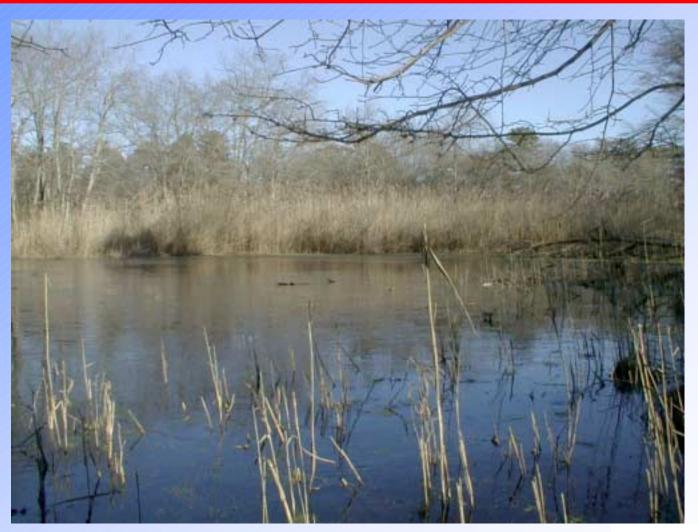


Area B, looking downstream





Area C, looking northeast





Area C (south), looking upstream



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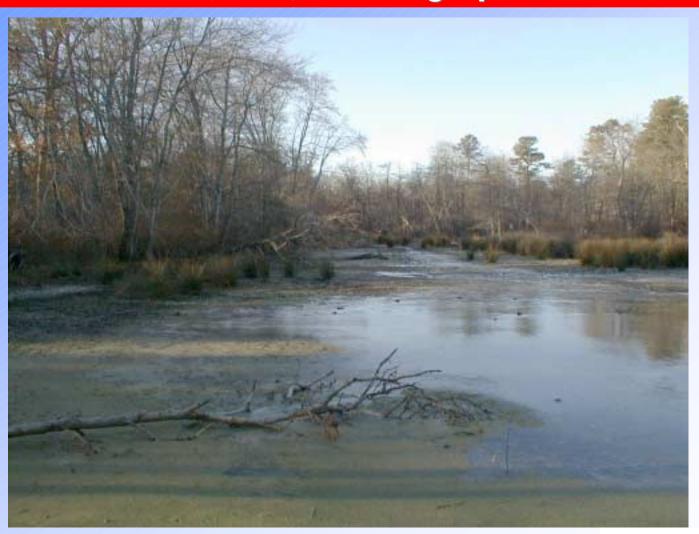


Area D (west), looking downstream





Area D (west), looking upstream





Area D (west), looking downstream





Area D (east), looking upstream





Area D (east), looking downstream





Area E, looking upstream





Area E, looking downstream





OVERVIEW OF PROJECT (Continued)

Remedial Action Objectives

- Specific goals to protect the public's health and environment
 - Prevent the exposure of aquatic communities to contaminants at concentrations that are deemed to be toxic to aquatic life
 - Prevent bioaccumulation of contaminants to protect potential consumers
 - Protect the ecosystem of the Peconic River
 - Minimize exposure pathways and transport mechanisms for sediment



OVERVIEW OF PROJECT (Continued)

■ CERCLA Evaluation Criteria

- Overall Protection of Human Health and the Environment
- Compliance with Applicable or Relevant and Appropriate Requirements (ARARs)
- Long-Term Effectiveness
- Reduction of Toxicity, Mobility, or Volume
- Short-Term Effectiveness and Environmental Impacts
- Implementability
- Cost
- State Acceptance
- Community Acceptance



NEXT STEPS (Current Schedule)

- Workshop Proceedings (January 2001)
 - Meet with Workshop Committee
- Early-Input Roundtables (February/March 2001)
- Development of Proposed Plan
 - Information gathered and input received from the workshop and committee
 - Prior data collected
 - New data and engineering drawings
 - Input from roundtables
- Public Comment Period (June 2001)

